

MEMORANDUM FOR: DEPUTY FOR POLICY COORDINATION, SE

SUBJECT: Daily Progress Report for Wednesday, 26 March 1952

1. BHFIEND. A cable has been received from [] Deputy Chief SE in Rome, reporting on his recent interview with King Zog in Cairo. The plans for the special Zog infiltration mission were reviewed and it was decided that the principle objective would be to a) survey Albanian internal conditions at firsthand; b) establish contact with Zogist sympathizers in government and private circles; and c) to recruit and exfiltrate a small number of young men for service as guides for future teams.

King Zog also advised [] that he intended to send Sattfet Lufti Tozan on a mission to Tito to ascertain Yugoslav views in regard to Albania. This report confirms earlier information about this mission which will attempt to obtain for Zog Yugoslav assistance or an attitude of benevolent neutrality in the event of an Albanian revolt.

2. BOCONVOY. No report.

3. JBEDICT. [] new executive officer and finance officer [] EOD 24 March 1952.

4. OKBROIL. No report.

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